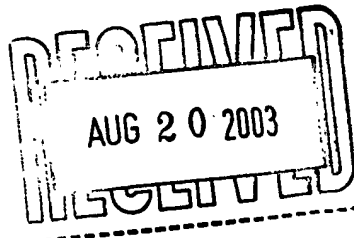


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PATENT APPLICATION
DOCKET NO.: 45051-00006
P 1874-093 US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/718,667
Applicant(s) : Niklas STENSTRÖM et al.
Filed : November 22, 2000
Title : A DIGITAL COMMUNICATION RECEIVER AND A METHOD
FOR THE OPERATION THEREOF
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This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the transmitted herewith attachment(s) of the same date and subject which is/are incorporated hereunto by reference. The signature below is to be treated as the signature to the attachment(s) in absence of a signature thereto.

Transmitted herewith in the above-identified application is/are:

- 1) Preliminary Amendment Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
- 2) Preliminary Amendment; and
- 3) Acknowledgment Postcard.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement claiming small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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Applicant has not been notified that the requested extension will not be permitted. The present application is not involved in an interference declared pursuant to 37 CFR 1.611.

TOTAL FEES \$

A check in the amount of \$ to cover the TOTAL FEE is attached. Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 10-0447.

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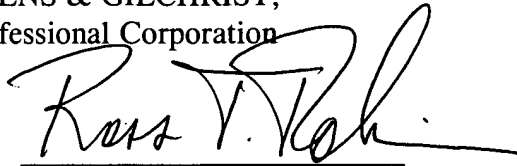
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This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal form is filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Please enter the following amendments to this application:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.